

THE URGENT DEFICIENCY BILL

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TO ABOUT \$71,000,000.**

**Items Have Been Sent In From Vari-
ous Departments and Measure Is
Being Prepared For the House.**

Washington, Dec. 28.—The House of Representatives today passed a bill authorizing the President to purchase up to \$71,000,000 worth of goods and services from various departments and agencies for the purpose of preparing for the House of Representatives.

the important supply bills for the government's expenses, is practically made up, and the total will amount to about \$11,000,000. The items have already been sent by the several departments, and these are being put together so that the appropriation bill can be introduced.

Some of the deficiency items required for the war department are very large, that for transportation, troopships, etc., being \$20,000,000; subsistence, \$3,000,000; pay, etc., of the army, \$15,188,532; quartermasters' supplies, \$1,500,000.

The \$15,188,832 already enumerated for pay account includes items of \$3,197,149 for pay of enlisted men; \$4,000,000 travel

allowance to enlisted men on discharges, \$11,500,000; clothing allowance for 1916, \$1,750,000; additional 20 per cent on pay of enlisted men.

The main navy department items are as follows: Ordnance, \$230,000; coal and other equipment, \$170,000; preservation and completion of vessels on the stocks, etc., \$2,500; naval academy electric light plant, \$43,750.

The departments and bureaus of the navy have urgent deficiency items as follows: Treasury department, \$1,740,000; interior department, \$196,911; bureau of commerce, \$47,000; observation of total eclipse of sun, \$8,000.

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